



EXPEDITED RULE MAKING

CR-105 (June 2004)
(Implements RCW 34.05.353)
EXPEDITED RULE MAKING ONLY

Agency: Department of Agriculture

Title of rule and other identifying information: (Describe Subject) [WAC 16-237-015, Covered commodities](#)

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Purpose of the proposal and its anticipated effects, including any changes in existing rules: The purpose of this proposal is to eliminate any future conflict or questioning of whether "canola" is a covered commodity by adding the word "canola" to the list of covered commodities. The current rule only lists "rapeseed," which was originally intended to include all varieties of canola and rapeseed, but has in recent years become much more narrow in meaning. This proposal will restore the original intent of the rule, and will provide greater clarity than the current rule language.

Reasons supporting proposal: Producers of canola will have clear assurance of protection under chapter 16-237 WAC and chapter 22.09 RCW.

Statutory authority for adoption: RCW 22.09.020,
Chapter 34.05 RCW

Statute being implemented: RCW 22.09.020

Is rule necessary because of a:

Federal Law?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Federal Court Decision?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
State Court Decision?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

If yes, CITATION:

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None